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Re: K141997
Trade/Device Name: Crit-Line IV System
Regulation Number: 21 CFR§ 876.5820
Regulation Name: Hemodialysis system and accessories
Regulatory Class: II
Product Code: KOC
Dated: March 12, 2015
Received: March 13, 2015

Dear Denise Oppermann,

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration. Please note: CDRH does not evaluate information related to contract liability warranties. We remind you, however, that device labeling must be truthful and not misleading.

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Sincerely yours,

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Enclosure

Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known)

K141997

Device Name

Crit-Line IV System

Indications for Use (Describe)

The Crit-Line IV System is used to non-invasively to measure hematocrit, oxygen saturation and percent change in blood volume. The Crit-Line Clip (CLiC) measures hematocrit, percent change in blood volume and oxygen saturation in real time for application in the treatment of dialysis patients with the intended purpose of providing a more effective treatment for both the dialysis patient and the dialysis technician. Based on the data that the monitor provides, the clinician/nurse, under physician direction, intervenes (i.e. increases or decreases the rate at which fluid is removed from the blood) in order to remove the maximum amount of fluid from the dialysis patient without the patient experiencing the common symptoms of dialysis which include nausea, cramping and vomiting.

Type of Use (Select one or both, as applicable)

☒ Prescription Use (Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

☐ Over-The-Counter Use (21 CFR 801 Subpart C)

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5. 510(K) SUMMARY

This 510(k) Summary is in accordance with the requirements of the Safe Medical Device Act (SMDA) of 1990. The content of this 510(k) summary is provided in conformance with 21 CFR § 807.92.

5.1. Submitter's Information

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5.2. Device Name

Trade Name: Crit-Line IV System

Common Name: Accessories, blood circuit, hemodialysis

Classification Name: Hemodialysis system and accessories

Regulatory Class: Class II per 21 CFR §876.5820

Product Code/Classification Panel: KOC/ Gastroenterology – Urology

5.3. Legally Marketed Predicate Device

Crit-Line Clip Monitor (CLiC), K121599

Crit-Line III Monitor, K972470

2008T Hemodialysis Machine with optional Crit-Line Clip Monitor (CLiC), K131908

5.4. Device Description

The intended use of the Crit-Line IV System is as a continuous real-time blood monitoring system for displaying information measured by the CLiC sensor, including hematocrit, oxygen saturation, and percent change in blood volume. The Crit-Line IV System is comprised of the Crit-Line IV monitor (the subject of this submission), the Crit-Line Clip (CLiC) sensor, and the Crit-Line Clip Blood Chamber. The touchscreen interface and display of the Crit-Line IV monitor is used with the hardware and software of the CLiC sensor, which is a separate component of the Crit-Line Clip (CLiC) Monitor, K121599. Information displayed on the Crit-Line IV monitor may be viewed real-time during a dialysis treatment. There are additional display features incorporated into the Crit-Line IV System, which are similar to that of the Crit-Line III system (K972470) and the 2008T Hemodialysis Machine with (optional) CLiC (K131908). For this reason, the Crit-Line Clip Monitor (CLiC: K121599), is the predominant predicate and the 2008T Hemodialysis Machine with (optional) CLiC (K131908) and the Crit-Line III (K972470) are reference predicate devices.

5.5. Indications for Use

The Crit Line IV System is used to non-invasively measure hematocrit, oxygen saturation and percent change in blood volume. The Crit-Line Clip (CLiC) measures hematocrit, percent change in blood volume and oxygen saturation in real time for application in the treatment of dialysis patients with the intended purpose of providing a more effective treatment for both the dialysis patient and the clinician. Based on the data that the monitor provides, the clinician/nurse, under physician direction, intervenes (i.e. increases or decreases the rate at which fluid is removed from the blood) in order to remove the maximum amount of fluid from the dialysis patient without the patient experiencing the common complications of dialysis which include nausea, cramping and vomiting.

5.6. Intended Use

The intended use of the Crit-Line IV System is as a continuous real-time monitor of hematocrit, oxygen saturation, and percent change in blood volume.

5.7. Technological Characteristics

Fundamental Scientific Technology/Operating Principle:

The Crit-Line IV System consists of a monitor running display software for data measured by the CLiC sensor. The data is sent as USB serial signals from the CLiC sensor to the monitor. The Crit-Line IV monitor connects with the CLiC sensor via the USB computer interface. The CLiC sensor connects to the external transparent section of a single-use Crit-Line Clip Blood Chamber. The Crit-Line Clip Blood Chamber provides in-line optic measurement access (non-invasive) to blood via connection to the dialysis tubing set.

The Crit-Line IV monitor displays and stores data generated by the CLiC sensor.

- The Crit-Line IV monitor is a dedicated compact display unit which can be

mounted to an IV pole. The monitor continuously displays volume ($\Delta BV\%$), hematocrit (Hct), estimated hemoglobin (Hb, Hct based estimate), and oxygen saturation (O2 Sat).

- A ZigBee wireless module allows the user to wirelessly print or download data collected during the monitoring session.

The display software of the Crit-Line monitor provides the following user interfaces:

- Touch screen. Virtual buttons on the screen allow the user to navigate through the menu selections. The screen also allows for data entry, such as user ID, and for language selection.
- File System. Data collected during the monitoring sessions will be maintained for a period of 30 days. Data stored in the patient run files are available for transfer to host computer systems or to a USB memory stick.

The above bulleted items represent the main differences between the function of the display software described in K121599 and K131908 as compared with the proposed monitor software of the Crit-Line IV System. Additional alerts, such as a “ $\Delta BV\%$ greater than 8%/hr” alert, were added to enhance the user interface. The intended use and use environment are the same as that of the predicate monitoring devices. The algorithms used in the proposed monitor software for calculating $\Delta BV\%$ and estimating hemoglobin (Hb) are the same algorithms used in the software driver provided with the predicate Crit-Line Clip (CLiC), K121599.

5.8. Performance Data

Performance testing requirements were determined through the application of a risk management process and applicable performance standards. Performance testing included software verification, electrical safety testing, electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) testing, intentional EM emissions immunity simulation testing, coexistence testing with RFID equipment, ship testing, and usability testing.

5.9. Conclusion

The information provided in this submission demonstrates the Crit-Line IV System functions as intended and is substantially equivalent to the predicate devices. The test results demonstrate that the proposed device does not raise any new concerns with regard to safety or effectiveness.